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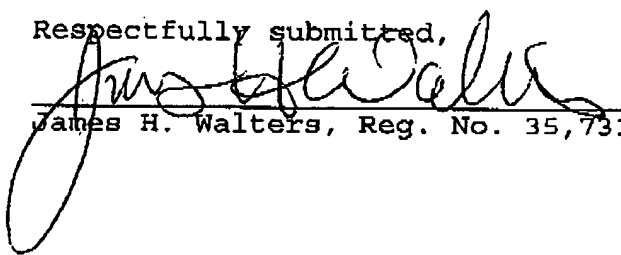
Sir:

In response to the restriction requirement dated September 26, 2003, for which a one month extension of time is requested to extend the period for response to November 26, 2003, applicants elect Group I, species Ia1, Ib2 and Ic.

The claims readable thereon are 1-8, 21-28, 14-18 and 49.

The Examiner is asked to contact applicant's attorney at 503-224-0115 if there are any questions.

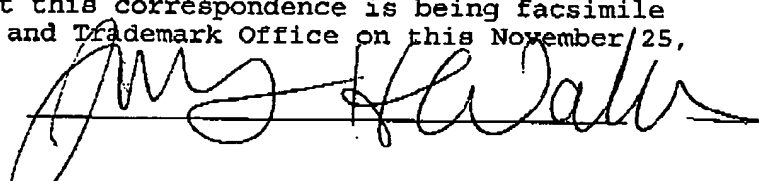
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